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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/523,103	08/22/2005	Rainer Arelt	6097P059	8528

TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A ROTOR BLADE, A CORRESPONDING ROTOR BLADE AND A WIND POWER PLANT

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE DUE	PUBLICATION FEE DUE	PREV. PAID ISSUE FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
nonprovisional	NO	\$1400	\$300	\$0	\$1700	12/20/2007

EXAMINER	ART UNIT	CLASS-SUBCLASS
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EDGAR, RICHARD A	3745	416-224000
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**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)** 1,770.00**Complete if Known:**Application No. 10/523,103Filing Date August 22, 2005First Named Inventor Rainer AreltExaminer Name Richard A. EdgarArt Unit 3745Attorney Docket No. 6097P059

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)			
1011	310	2011	155			Utility application filing fee	}	
1111	510	2111	255			Utility search fee	1,030/515	
1311	210	2311	105			Utility examination fee		
1012	210	2012	105			Design application filing fee		
1112	100	2112	50			Design search fee	440/220	
1312	130	2312	65			Design examination fee		
1013	210	2013	105			Plant filing fee		
1113	310	2113	155			Plant search fee	680/340	
1313	160	2313	80			Plant examination fee		
1004	810	2004	405			Reissue filing fee		
1114	510	2114	255			Reissue search fee	1,940/970	
1314	620	2314	310			Reissue examination fee		
1005	210	2005	105			Provisional application filing fee		
<b>SUBTOTAL (1)</b>							<u>\$0.00</u>	

## 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

### Fee Description

Large Entity		Small Entity	
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1202	50	2202	25	Each claim over 20
1201	210	2201	105	Each independent claim over 3
1203	370	2203	185	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid
1204	210	2204	105	Reissue: each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent
1205	50	2205	25	Reissue: each independent claim more than in the original patent

		Extra Claims	Fee	Fees Paid (\$)
Total Claims	– 20 or HP =		X	= _____
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20				
Independent Claims	– 3 or HP =		X	= _____
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1082	260	2082	130
1083	260	2083	130
1084	260	2084	130

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
1813	8,800	1813	8,800	Request for inter parties reexamination
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month
1252	460	2252	230	Extension for reply within second month
1253	1,050	2253	525	Extension for reply within third month
1254	1,640	2254	820	Extension for reply within fourth month
1255	2,230	2255	1,115	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	510	2401	255	Notice of Appeal
1402	510	2402	255	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403	1,030	2403	515	Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1452	510	2452	255	Petition to revive – unavoidable
1453	1,540	2453	770	Petition to revive - unintentional
1501	1,440	2501	720	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
1502	820	2502	410	Design issue fee
1503	1,130	2503	565	Plant issue fee
1462	400	1462	400	Petitions to the Commissioner (CFR 1.17(f) Group I)
1463	200	1463	200	Petitions to the Commissioner (CFR 1.17(g) Group II)
1464	130	1464	130	Petitions to the Commissioner (CFR 1.17(h) Group III)
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
1809	810	2809	405	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))
1814	130	2814	65	Statutory Disclaimer
1810	810	2810	405	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))
1801	810	2801	405	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application
1504	300	1504	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal pub.
1505	300	1505	300	Publication fee for republication
1803	130	1803	130	Request for voluntary publication or republication
1808	130	1808	130	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) (except provisionals)
1454	1,410	1454	1,410	Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority
Other fee (specify)	Fee for 10 Additional Copies of Issue Patent			30.00
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Art Unit: 3745

Confirmation No.: 8528

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A CORRESPONDING ROTOR BLADE AND A WIND  
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Respectfully submitted,

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